

# OKLAHOMA EMPLOYMENT REPORT – December 2023

## Metropolitan statistical area (MSA), county and other subarea information

### Jobless rates up over the year for most Oklahoma counties in December

In December, **McIntosh County** posted Oklahoma's highest county unemployment rate of 5.9 percent. **Seminole County** reported the second-highest rate for the month, followed by **Haskell** and **Latimer Counties**. **Woods County** reported the lowest county unemployment rate of 1.6 percent in December. Unemployment rates in December were higher than a year earlier in 71 counties, lower in 5 counties and unchanged in 1 county.

#### Highest county unemployment rates\*

December 2023	Unemployment rate
McIntosh County	5.9%
Seminole County	5.5%
Haskell County	5.1%
Latimer County	5.1%

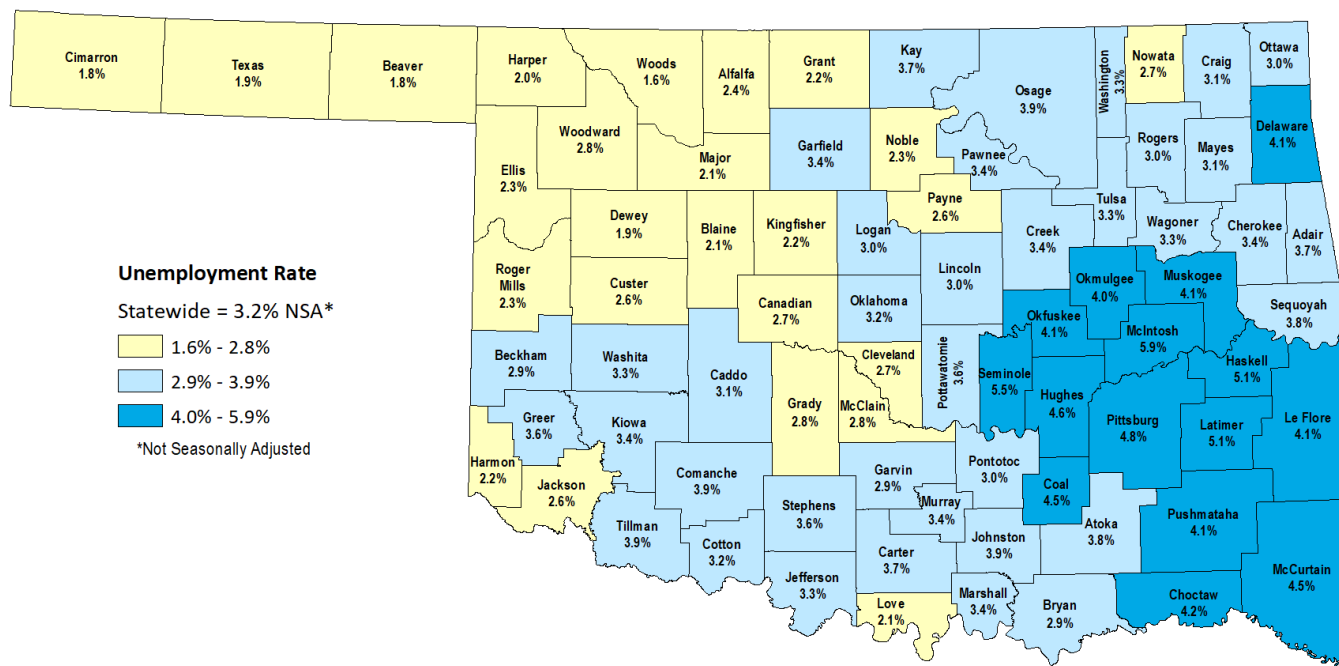
\* Non-seasonally adjusted

#### Lowest county unemployment rates\*

December 2023	Unemployment rate
Woods County	1.6%
Beaver County	1.8%
Cimarron County	1.8%

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### UNEMPLOYMENT RATES by COUNTY – December 2023 (Not Seasonally Adjusted)



**NOTE:** Each month, Current Employment Statistics (CES) and Local Area Unemployment Statistics (LAUS) data for the previous month is revised. The data for the current month in this news release is preliminary (not revised) and the data for the previous months is revised. All data is non-seasonally adjusted.

## CURRENT EMPLOYMENT STATISTICS – Lawton MSA\*

	NUMBER EMPLOYED			CHANGE FROM			
	DEC 2023	NOV 2023	DEC 2022	NOV. 23 TO DEC. 23		DEC. 22 TO DEC. 23	
<b>Total Nonfarm</b>	<b>43,800</b>	<b>43,900</b>	<b>43,600</b>	<b>-100</b>	<b>-0.2%</b>	<b>200</b>	<b>0.5%</b>
Total Private**	29,100	29,100	28,900	0	0.0%	200	0.7%
Goods Producing	5,500	5,400	5,300	100	1.9%	200	3.8%
Service-Providing	38,300	38,500	38,300	-200	-0.5%	0	0.0%
Private Service Providing***	23,600	23,700	23,600	-100	-0.4%	0	0.0%
<b>Mining, Logging and Construction</b>	<b>1,500</b>	<b>1,500</b>	<b>1,400</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.0%</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>7.1%</b>
<b>Manufacturing</b>	<b>4,000</b>	<b>3,900</b>	<b>3,900</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>2.6%</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>2.6%</b>
<b>Trade, Transportation, and Utilities</b>	<b>7,200</b>	<b>7,200</b>	<b>7,300</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.0%</b>	<b>-100</b>	<b>-1.4%</b>
Wholesale Trade	600	600	500	0	0.0%	100	20.0%
Retail Trade	5,400	5,400	5,500	0	0.0%	-100	-1.8%
Transportation, Warehousing, and Utilities	1,200	1,200	1,300	0	0.0%	-100	-7.7%
<b>Information</b>	<b>700</b>	<b>700</b>	<b>700</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.0%</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.0%</b>
<b>Financial Activities</b>	<b>1,900</b>	<b>1,900</b>	<b>1,900</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.0%</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.0%</b>
<b>Professional and Business Services</b>	<b>3,600</b>	<b>3,600</b>	<b>3,600</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.0%</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.0%</b>
<b>Education and Health Services</b>	<b>4,100</b>	<b>4,100</b>	<b>3,900</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.0%</b>	<b>200</b>	<b>5.1%</b>
<b>Leisure and Hospitality</b>	<b>5,000</b>	<b>5,100</b>	<b>5,100</b>	<b>-100</b>	<b>-2.0%</b>	<b>-100</b>	<b>-2.0%</b>
<b>Other Services</b>	<b>1,100</b>	<b>1,100</b>	<b>1,100</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.0%</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.0%</b>
<b>Government</b>	<b>14,700</b>	<b>14,800</b>	<b>14,700</b>	<b>-100</b>	<b>-0.7%</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.0%</b>
Federal Government	4,100	4,100	4,000	0	0.0%	100	2.5%
State Government	1,000	1,000	1,100	0	0.0%	-100	-9.1%
Local Government	9,600	9,700	9,600	-100	-1.0%	0	0.0%
Total State and Local Government	10,600	10,700	10,700	-100	-0.9%	-100	-0.9%

## CURRENT EMPLOYMENT STATISTICS – Oklahoma City MSA\*

	NUMBER EMPLOYED			CHANGE FROM			
	DEC 2023	NOV 2023	DEC 2022	NOV. 23 TO DEC. 23		DEC. 22 TO DEC. 23	
<b>Total Nonfarm</b>	<b>696,900</b>	<b>695,200</b>	<b>685,600</b>	<b>1,700</b>	<b>0.2%</b>	<b>11,300</b>	<b>1.7%</b>
Total Private**	563,900	561,900	556,400	2,000	0.4%	7,500	1.4%
Goods Producing	80,200	80,300	80,500	-100	-0.1%	-300	-0.4%
Service-Providing	616,700	614,900	605,100	1,800	0.3%	11,600	1.9%
Private Service Providing***	483,700	481,600	475,900	2,100	0.4%	7,800	1.6%
<b>Mining and Logging</b>	<b>10,700</b>	<b>10,600</b>	<b>11,100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>0.9%</b>	<b>-400</b>	<b>-3.6%</b>
<b>Mining, Logging and Construction</b>	<b>44,400</b>	<b>44,700</b>	<b>45,000</b>	<b>-300</b>	<b>-0.7%</b>	<b>-600</b>	<b>-1.3%</b>
<b>Construction</b>	<b>33,700</b>	<b>34,100</b>	<b>33,900</b>	<b>-400</b>	<b>-1.2%</b>	<b>-200</b>	<b>-0.6%</b>
Specialty Trade Contractors	21,500	21,700	20,900	-200	-0.9%	600	2.9%
<b>Manufacturing</b>	<b>35,800</b>	<b>35,600</b>	<b>35,500</b>	<b>200</b>	<b>0.6%</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>0.9%</b>
Durable Goods	25,700	25,500	25,000	200	0.8%	700	2.8%
Machinery Manufacturing	6,000	5,900	5,700	100	1.7%	300	5.3%
Transportation Equipment Manufacturing	6,900	6,800	6,500	100	1.5%	400	6.2%
<b>Trade, Transportation, and Utilities</b>	<b>130,800</b>	<b>129,500</b>	<b>130,000</b>	<b>1,300</b>	<b>1.0%</b>	<b>800</b>	<b>0.6%</b>
Wholesale Trade	24,300	24,200	23,200	100	0.4%	1,100	4.7%
Retail Trade	71,700	70,700	71,300	1,000	1.4%	400	0.6%
General Merchandise Stores	16,400	16,300	16,500	100	0.6%	-100	-0.6%
Transportation, Warehousing, and Utilities	34,800	34,600	35,500	200	0.6%	-700	-2.0%
<b>Information</b>	<b>5,700</b>	<b>5,700</b>	<b>5,900</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.0%</b>	<b>-200</b>	<b>-3.4%</b>
Telecommunications	2,200	2,200	2,300	0	0.0%	-100	-4.4%
<b>Financial Activities</b>	<b>36,500</b>	<b>36,500</b>	<b>36,800</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.0%</b>	<b>-300</b>	<b>-0.8%</b>
Finance and Insurance	26,100	26,200	26,200	-100	-0.4%	-100	-0.4%
Rental and Leasing Services	4,000	4,000	4,000	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
<b>Professional and Business Services</b>	<b>90,000</b>	<b>90,500</b>	<b>91,400</b>	<b>-500</b>	<b>-0.6%</b>	<b>-1,400</b>	<b>-1.5%</b>
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	40,100	40,200	39,600	-100	-0.3%	500	1.3%
Management of Companies and Enterprises	10,300	10,400	9,700	-100	-1.0%	600	6.2%
Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediation Services	39,600	39,900	42,100	-300	-0.8%	-2,500	-5.9%
Employment Services	13,600	13,700	14,900	-100	-0.7%	-1,300	-8.7%
Business Support Services	6,000	6,100	6,800	-100	-1.6%	-800	-11.8%
<b>Education and Health Services</b>	<b>113,500</b>	<b>111,900</b>	<b>105,700</b>	<b>1,600</b>	<b>1.4%</b>	<b>7,800</b>	<b>7.4%</b>
Health Care and Social Assistance	100,800	98,800	94,500	2,000	2.0%	6,300	6.7%
Ambulatory Health Care Services	37,000	35,900	35,000	1,100	3.1%	2,000	5.7%
Hospitals	36,100	35,800	34,800	300	0.8%	1,300	3.7%
<b>Leisure and Hospitality</b>	<b>78,600</b>	<b>79,000</b>	<b>77,100</b>	<b>-400</b>	<b>-0.5%</b>	<b>1,500</b>	<b>2.0%</b>
Food Services and Drinking Places	63,700	62,900	61,800	800	1.3%	1,900	3.1%
Restaurants and Other Eating Places	57,400	57,400	57,300	0	0.0%	100	0.2%
Full-Service Restaurants	26,900	26,900	27,400	0	0.0%	-500	-1.8%
Limited-Service Restaurants and Other Eating Places	30,500	30,500	29,900	0	0.0%	600	2.0%
<b>Other Services</b>	<b>28,600</b>	<b>28,500</b>	<b>29,000</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>0.4%</b>	<b>-400</b>	<b>-1.4%</b>
<b>Government</b>	<b>133,000</b>	<b>133,300</b>	<b>129,200</b>	<b>-300</b>	<b>-0.2%</b>	<b>3,800</b>	<b>2.9%</b>
Federal Government	31,500	31,400	30,200	100	0.3%	1,300	4.3%
State Government	44,700	45,300	43,700	-600	-1.3%	1,000	2.3%
Local Government	56,800	56,600	55,300	200	0.4%	1,500	2.7%
Total State and Local Government	101,500	101,900	99,000	-400	-0.4%	2,500	2.5%

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\*\* Total Private = (Total Nonfarm – Government)

\*\*\* Private Service Providing = (Service-Providing – Government)

## CURRENT EMPLOYMENT STATISTICS – Tulsa MSA\*

	NUMBER EMPLOYED			CHANGE FROM			
	DEC 2023	NOV 2023	DEC 2022	NOV. 23 TO DEC. 23		DEC. 22 TO DEC. 23	
<b>Total Nonfarm</b>	<b>471,000</b>	<b>471,700</b>	<b>459,700</b>	<b>-700</b>	<b>-0.2%</b>	<b>11,300</b>	<b>2.5%</b>
Total Private**	410,500	410,800	401,300	-300	-0.1%	9,200	2.3%
Goods Producing	85,700	84,500	76,900	1,200	1.4%	8,800	11.4%
Service-Providing	385,300	387,200	382,800	-1,900	-0.5%	2,500	0.7%
Private Service Providing	324,800	326,300	324,400	-1,500	-0.5%	400	0.1%
Mining, Logging and Construction	32,500	31,900	27,900	600	1.9%	4,600	16.5%
<b>Mining and Logging</b>	<b>3,700</b>	<b>3,700</b>	<b>3,700</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.0%</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.0%</b>
<b>Construction</b>	<b>28,800</b>	<b>28,200</b>	<b>24,200</b>	<b>600</b>	<b>2.1%</b>	<b>4,600</b>	<b>19.0%</b>
Specialty Trade Contractors	17,200	17,100	15,300	100	0.6%	1,900	12.4%
<b>Manufacturing</b>	<b>53,200</b>	<b>52,600</b>	<b>49,000</b>	<b>600</b>	<b>1.1%</b>	<b>4,200</b>	<b>8.6%</b>
Machinery Manufacturing	10,700	10,700	10,600	0	0.0%	100	0.9%
<b>Trade, Transportation, and Utilities</b>	<b>90,100</b>	<b>90,100</b>	<b>91,300</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.0%</b>	<b>-1,200</b>	<b>-1.3%</b>
Wholesale Trade	16,900	16,800	16,800	100	0.6%	100	0.6%
Retail Trade	50,800	50,700	50,500	100	0.2%	300	0.6%
Food and Beverage Stores	6,600	6,500	6,800	100	1.5%	-200	-2.9%
General Merchandise Stores	11,600	11,600	11,600	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Department Stores	2,000	2,000	2,000	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
General Merchandise Stores, including Warehouse Clubs and Supercenters	9,600	9,600	9,600	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Transportation, Warehousing, and Utilities	22,400	22,600	24,000	-200	-0.9%	-1,600	-6.7%
Utilities	2,400	2,400	2,400	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Transportation and Warehousing	20,000	20,200	21,600	-200	-1.0%	-1,600	-7.4%
<b>Information</b>	<b>5,100</b>	<b>5,100</b>	<b>5,300</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.0%</b>	<b>-200</b>	<b>-3.8%</b>
Telecommunications	2,300	2,300	2,400	0	0.0%	-100	-4.2%
<b>Financial Activities</b>	<b>23,800</b>	<b>23,800</b>	<b>23,800</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.0%</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.0%</b>
Insurance Carriers	3,900	3,900	3,900	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
<b>Professional and Business Services</b>	<b>62,300</b>	<b>63,300</b>	<b>63,500</b>	<b>-1,000</b>	<b>-1.6%</b>	<b>-1,200</b>	<b>-1.9%</b>
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	23,900	24,300	22,800	-400	-1.7%	1,100	4.8%
Management of Companies and Enterprises	9,500	9,500	9,100	0	0.0%	400	4.4%
Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediation Services	28,900	29,500	31,600	-600	-2.0%	-2,700	-8.5%
Employment Services	13,700	14,000	14,500	-300	-2.1%	-800	-5.5%
Business Support Services	2,300	2,300	2,600	0	0.0%	-300	-11.5%
<b>Education and Health Services</b>	<b>74,100</b>	<b>74,000</b>	<b>73,600</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>0.1%</b>	<b>500</b>	<b>0.7%</b>
Educational Services	5,700	6,000	5,900	-300	-5.0%	-200	-3.4%
Health Care and Social Assistance	68,400	68,000	67,700	400	0.6%	700	1.0%
Ambulatory Health Care Services	25,700	25,500	24,700	200	0.8%	1,000	4.1%
Hospitals	24,100	24,000	23,200	100	0.4%	900	3.9%
<b>Leisure and Hospitality</b>	<b>49,000</b>	<b>49,800</b>	<b>46,300</b>	<b>-800</b>	<b>-1.6%</b>	<b>2,700</b>	<b>5.8%</b>
Food Services and Drinking Places	37,800	37,800	37,400	0	0.0%	400	1.1%
Full-Service Restaurants	16,900	16,900	16,700	0	0.0%	200	1.2%
<b>Other Services</b>	<b>20,400</b>	<b>20,200</b>	<b>20,600</b>	<b>200</b>	<b>1.0%</b>	<b>-200</b>	<b>-1.0%</b>
<b>Government</b>	<b>60,500</b>	<b>60,900</b>	<b>58,400</b>	<b>-400</b>	<b>-0.7%</b>	<b>2,100</b>	<b>3.6%</b>
Federal Government	6,100	6,100	5,500	0	0.0%	600	10.9%
State Government	8,800	9,000	9,100	-200	-2.2%	-300	-3.3%
Local Government	45,600	45,800	43,800	-200	-0.4%	1,800	4.1%
Total State and Local Government	54,400	54,800	52,900	-400	-0.7%	1,500	2.8%

## CURRENT EMPLOYMENT STATISTICS – Enid MSA\*

	NUMBER EMPLOYED			CHANGE FROM			
	DEC 2023	NOV 2023	DEC 2022	NOV. 23 TO DEC. 23		DEC. 22 TO DEC. 23	
<b>Total Nonfarm</b>	<b>24,100</b>	<b>24,100</b>	<b>24,000</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.0%</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>0.4%</b>
Total Private**	20,600	20,600	20,400	0	0.0%	200	1.0%
Goods Producing	4,000	4,000	4,000	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Service-Providing	20,100	20,100	20,000	0	0.0%	100	0.5%
Private Service Providing***	16,600	16,600	16,400	0	0.0%	200	1.2%
<b>Government</b>	<b>3,500</b>	<b>3,500</b>	<b>3,600</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0.0%</b>	<b>-100</b>	<b>-2.8%</b>

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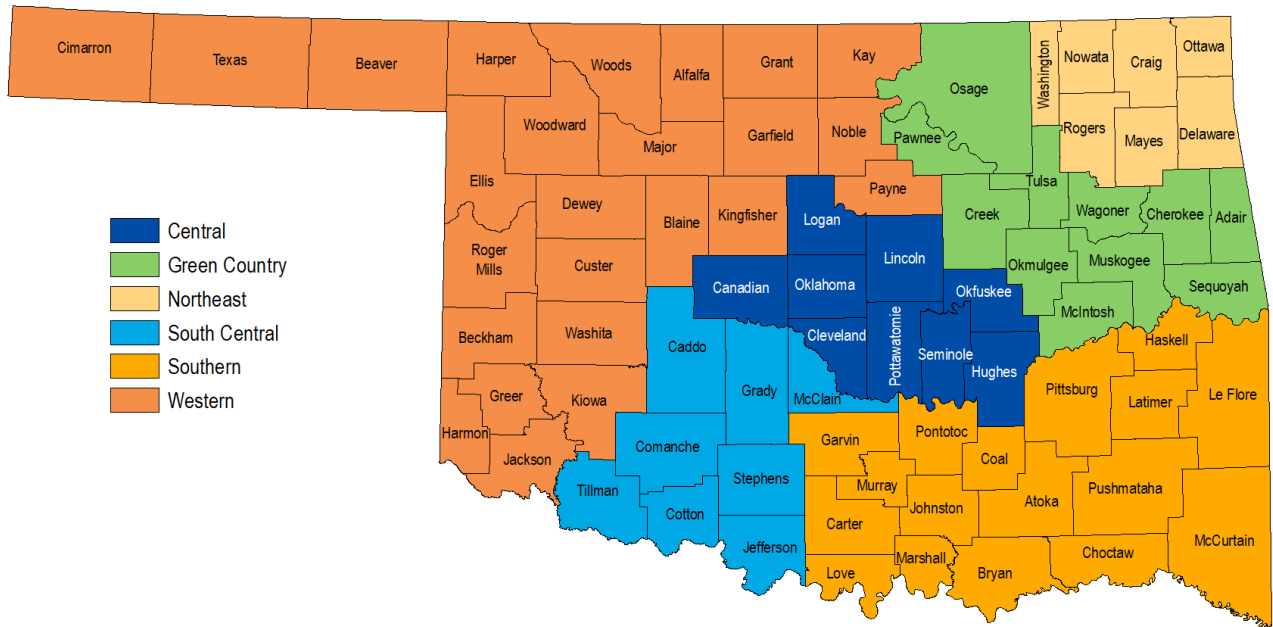
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	December 2023			November 2023			Unemployment Rate				
	Labor Force	Employment	Unemployment	Labor Force	Employment	Unemployment	Dec 2023	Nov	Oct	Dec 2022	RANK
Adair County	9,013	8,684	329	9,077	8,748	329	3.7%	3.6%	3.7%	2.8%	54
Alfalfa County	2,800	2,734	66	2,800	2,732	68	2.4%	2.4%	2.8%	2.0%	16
Atoka County	5,281	5,079	202	5,278	5,082	196	3.8%	3.7%	3.8%	3.2%	57
Beaver County	2,844	2,792	52	2,861	2,804	57	1.8%	2.0%	2.1%	1.6%	2
Beckham County	11,146	10,820	326	11,127	10,806	321	2.9%	2.9%	3.0%	2.2%	26
Blaine County	4,370	4,277	93	4,370	4,274	96	2.1%	2.2%	2.4%	1.8%	7
Bryan County	24,559	23,859	700	24,628	23,919	709	2.9%	2.9%	3.0%	2.3%	26
Caddo County	12,261	11,877	384	12,299	11,907	392	3.1%	3.2%	3.3%	2.9%	34
Canadian County	84,859	82,541	2,318	84,836	82,487	2,349	2.7%	2.8%	3.0%	2.2%	20
Carter County	22,598	21,751	847	22,626	21,791	835	3.7%	3.7%	3.7%	3.0%	54
Cherokee County	21,407	20,674	733	21,434	20,695	739	3.4%	3.4%	3.6%	3.0%	44
Choctaw County	6,959	6,670	289	6,941	6,673	268	4.2%	3.9%	3.9%	4.5%	69
Cimarron County	1,426	1,401	25	1,440	1,412	28	1.8%	1.9%	2.2%	1.1%	2
Cleveland County	156,366	152,087	4,279	156,397	151,929	4,468	2.7%	2.9%	3.0%	2.1%	20
Coal County	2,523	2,409	114	2,488	2,396	92	4.5%	3.7%	3.9%	2.7%	70
Comanche County	48,897	46,969	1,928	49,175	47,202	1,973	3.9%	4.0%	4.2%	3.2%	59
Cotton County	2,757	2,670	87	2,763	2,678	85	3.2%	3.1%	3.2%	3.0%	37
Craig County	6,130	5,940	190	6,100	5,915	185	3.1%	3.0%	3.4%	2.5%	34
Creek County	33,055	31,919	1,136	33,120	31,977	1,143	3.4%	3.5%	3.7%	2.9%	44
Custer County	15,676	15,269	407	15,623	15,209	414	2.6%	2.6%	2.8%	2.0%	17
Delaware County	20,338	19,501	837	20,196	19,502	694	4.1%	3.4%	3.5%	2.7%	64
Dewey County	3,347	3,283	64	3,328	3,260	68	1.9%	2.0%	2.2%	1.6%	4
Ellis County	2,132	2,084	48	2,126	2,074	52	2.3%	2.4%	2.7%	2.0%	13
Garfield County	27,087	26,178	909	27,146	26,248	898	3.4%	3.3%	3.4%	2.6%	44
Garvin County	13,215	12,833	382	13,247	12,855	392	2.9%	3.0%	3.2%	2.7%	26
Grady County	28,750	27,946	804	28,741	27,901	840	2.8%	2.9%	3.0%	2.4%	23
Grant County	2,778	2,716	62	2,775	2,720	55	2.2%	2.0%	2.2%	1.6%	10
Greer County	1,928	1,858	70	1,927	1,853	74	3.6%	3.8%	3.6%	3.0%	51
Harmon County	1,227	1,200	27	1,225	1,195	30	2.2%	2.4%	3.0%	2.5%	10
Harper County	1,911	1,872	39	1,920	1,874	46	2.0%	2.4%	2.4%	1.5%	6
Haskell County	4,559	4,328	231	4,567	4,332	235	5.1%	5.1%	5.4%	3.8%	74
Hughes County	5,437	5,187	250	5,415	5,164	251	4.6%	4.6%	4.5%	3.3%	72
Jackson County	11,210	10,917	293	11,176	10,869	307	2.6%	2.7%	3.0%	2.2%	17
Jefferson County	2,514	2,431	83	2,527	2,427	100	3.3%	4.0%	3.9%	2.9%	39
Johnston County	4,192	4,029	163	4,189	4,017	172	3.9%	4.1%	4.2%	3.3%	59
Kay County	18,537	17,855	682	18,578	17,917	661	3.7%	3.6%	3.8%	3.1%	54
Kingfisher County	9,263	9,063	200	9,238	9,031	207	2.2%	2.2%	2.4%	1.6%	10
Kiowa County	3,836	3,704	132	3,831	3,702	129	3.4%	3.4%	3.6%	2.9%	44
Latimer County	4,071	3,864	207	4,057	3,854	203	5.1%	5.0%	4.3%	5.2%	74
Le Flore County	20,469	19,632	837	20,446	19,607	839	4.1%	4.1%	4.2%	3.1%	64
Lincoln County	17,011	16,494	517	16,984	16,447	537	3.0%	3.2%	3.4%	2.7%	29
Logan County	24,635	23,902	733	24,629	23,872	757	3.0%	3.1%	3.2%	2.4%	29
Love County	6,165	6,035	130	6,192	6,052	140	2.1%	2.3%	2.6%	2.1%	7
McClain County	22,005	21,389	616	22,001	21,342	659	2.8%	3.0%	3.2%	2.3%	23
McCurtain County	16,599	15,857	742	16,534	15,847	687	4.5%	4.2%	4.0%	3.6%	70
McIntosh County	7,394	6,956	438	7,410	6,996	414	5.9%	5.6%	5.8%	4.6%	77
Major County	3,873	3,790	83	3,879	3,785	94	2.1%	2.4%	2.9%	2.2%	7
Marshall County	7,645	7,387	258	7,684	7,416	268	3.4%	3.5%	3.7%	2.8%	44
Mayes County	20,702	20,061	641	20,750	20,105	645	3.1%	3.1%	3.2%	3.0%	34
Murray County	5,732	5,536	196	5,743	5,542	201	3.4%	3.5%	3.7%	2.5%	44
Muskogee County	28,772	27,598	1,174	28,725	27,585	1,140	4.1%	4.0%	4.1%	3.1%	64
Noble County	5,984	5,848	136	6,029	5,887	142	2.3%	2.4%	2.7%	1.8%	13
Nowata County	4,902	4,772	130	4,905	4,772	133	2.7%	2.7%	2.9%	2.5%	20
Okfuskee County	4,675	4,481	194	4,704	4,501	203	4.1%	4.3%	4.3%	3.7%	64
Oklahoma County	419,821	406,461	13,360	419,524	405,893	13,631	3.2%	3.2%	3.3%	2.6%	37
Okmulgee County	16,379	15,718	661	16,436	15,756	680	4.0%	4.1%	4.3%	3.8%	63
Osage County	21,687	20,844	843	21,742	20,907	835	3.9%	3.8%	4.0%	3.1%	59
Ottawa County	15,650	15,187	463	15,731	15,251	480	3.0%	3.1%	3.2%	2.4%	29
Pawnee County	7,720	7,460	260	7,729	7,467	262	3.4%	3.4%	3.6%	3.3%	44
Payne County	41,297	40,216	1,081	41,823	40,654	1,169	2.6%	2.8%	3.0%	2.3%	17
Pittsburg County	17,392	16,549	843	17,373	16,579	794	4.8%	4.6%	4.6%	3.8%	73
Pontotoc County	20,495	19,885	610	20,542	19,896	646	3.0%	3.1%	3.2%	2.2%	29
Pottawatomie County	34,449	33,211	1,238	34,525	33,262	1,263	3.6%	3.7%	3.9%	3.0%	51
Pushmataha County	4,786	4,592	194	4,771	4,592	179	4.1%	3.8%	3.6%	3.6%	64
Roger Mills County	1,877	1,834	43	1,882	1,838	44	2.3%	2.3%	2.7%	1.8%	13
Rogers County	47,993	46,551	1,442	48,155	46,720	1,435	3.0%	3.0%	3.2%	2.4%	29
Seminole County	10,117	9,563	554	10,123	9,574	549	5.5%	5.4%	5.2%	3.6%	76
Sequoyah County	17,583	16,909	674	17,544	16,875	669	3.8%	3.8%	3.9%	2.9%	57
Stephens County	20,033	19,302	731	20,002	19,261	741	3.6%	3.7%	3.9%	2.9%	51
Texas County	12,462	12,222	240	12,499	12,246	253	1.9%	2.0%	2.2%	1.4%	4
Tillman County	2,980	2,864	116	2,973	2,851	122	3.9%	4.1%	4.1%	4.0%	59
Tulsa County	344,222	333,030	11,192	345,010	333,714	11,296	3.3%	3.3%	3.4%	2.6%	39
Wagoner County	41,352	39,984	1,368	41,436	40,084	1,352	3.3%	3.3%	3.4%	2.7%	39
Washington County	23,317	22,540	777	23,393	22,608	785	3.3%	3.4%	3.5%	2.9%	39
Washita County	5,413	5,237	176	5,413	5,236	177	3.3%	3.3%	3.4%	2.3%	39
Woods County	4,581	4,507	74	4,591	4,508	83	1.6%	1.8%	2.1%	1.4%	1
Woodward County	9,186	8,928	258	9,172	8,895	277	2.8%	3.0%	3.2%	2.5%	23

	December 2023			November 2023			Unemployment Rate			
	Labor Force	Employment	Unemployment	Labor Force	Employment	Unemployment	Dec 2023	Nov	Oct	Dec 2022
<b>Lawton MSA</b>	51,654	49,639	2,015	51,938	49,880	2,058	3.9%	4.0%	4.2%	3.2%
<b>Oklahoma City MSA</b>	753,447	730,820	22,627	753,112	729,871	23,241	3.0%	3.1%	3.2%	2.4%
<b>Tulsa MSA</b>	512,408	495,506	16,902	513,628	496,625	17,003	3.3%	3.3%	3.5%	2.7%
<b>Enid MSA</b>	27,087	26,178	909	27,146	26,248	898	3.4%	3.3%	3.4%	2.6%
<b>Fort Smith MSA (OK Part Only)</b>	38,052	36,541	1,511	37,990	36,482	1,508	4.0%	4.0%	4.1%	3.0%
<b>Northeast OK Nonmetropolitan Area</b>	162,300	156,394	5,906	162,425	156,678	5,747	3.6%	3.5%	3.7%	2.9%
<b>Northwest OK Nonmetropolitan Area</b>	126,791	123,588	3,203	127,429	124,073	3,356	2.5%	2.6%	2.8%	2.1%
<b>Southwest OK Nonmetropolitan Area</b>	90,101	87,313	2,788	90,005	87,154	2,851	3.1%	3.2%	3.3%	2.5%
<b>Southeast OK Nonmetropolitan Area</b>	216,774	208,624	8,150	216,923	208,843	8,080	3.8%	3.7%	3.8%	3.0%
<b>Central WDA</b>	<b>757,370</b>	<b>733,927</b>	<b>23,443</b>	<b>757,137</b>	<b>733,129</b>	<b>24,008</b>	<b>3.1%</b>	<b>3.2%</b>	<b>3.3%</b>	<b>2.5%</b>
Oklahoma City LLM	529,315	512,904	16,411	528,989	512,252	16,737	3.1%	3.2%	3.3%	2.5%
Norman LLM	156,366	152,087	4,279	156,397	151,929	4,468	2.7%	2.9%	3.0%	2.1%
Holdenville LLM	10,112	9,668	444	10,119	9,665	454	4.4%	4.5%	4.4%	3.5%
Shawnee LLM	61,577	59,268	2,309	61,632	59,283	2,349	3.7%	3.8%	3.9%	3.0%
<b>Green Country WDA</b>	<b>548,584</b>	<b>529,776</b>	<b>18,808</b>	<b>549,663</b>	<b>530,804</b>	<b>18,859</b>	<b>3.4%</b>	<b>3.4%</b>	<b>3.6%</b>	<b>2.8%</b>
Muskogee LLM	77,518	74,538	2,980	77,571	74,665	2,906	3.8%	3.7%	3.9%	3.0%
Okmulgee LLM	16,379	15,718	661	16,436	15,756	680	4.0%	4.1%	4.3%	3.8%
Tahlequah-Sallisaw LLM	48,003	46,267	1,736	48,055	46,318	1,737	3.6%	3.6%	3.8%	2.9%
Tulsa LLM	406,684	393,253	13,431	407,601	394,065	13,536	3.3%	3.3%	3.5%	2.7%
<b>Northeast WDA</b>	<b>139,032</b>	<b>134,552</b>	<b>4,480</b>	<b>139,230</b>	<b>134,873</b>	<b>4,357</b>	<b>3.2%</b>	<b>3.1%</b>	<b>3.3%</b>	<b>2.6%</b>
Bartlesville LLM	28,219	27,312	907	28,298	27,380	918	3.2%	3.2%	3.4%	2.8%
Claremore-Pryor LLM	89,033	86,113	2,920	89,101	86,327	2,774	3.3%	3.1%	3.3%	2.6%
Miami-Vinita LLM	21,780	21,127	653	21,831	21,166	665	3.0%	3.0%	3.2%	2.4%
<b>South Central WDA</b>	<b>140,197</b>	<b>135,448</b>	<b>4,749</b>	<b>140,481</b>	<b>135,569</b>	<b>4,912</b>	<b>3.4%</b>	<b>3.5%</b>	<b>3.7%</b>	<b>2.8%</b>
Chickasha LLM	63,016	61,212	1,804	63,041	61,150	1,891	2.9%	3.0%	3.2%	2.5%
Duncan LLM	22,547	21,733	814	22,529	21,688	841	3.6%	3.7%	3.9%	2.9%
Lawton LLM	54,634	52,503	2,131	54,911	52,731	2,180	3.9%	4.0%	4.2%	3.2%
<b>Southern WDA</b>	<b>187,240</b>	<b>180,295</b>	<b>6,945</b>	<b>187,306</b>	<b>180,450</b>	<b>6,856</b>	<b>3.7%</b>	<b>3.7%</b>	<b>3.7%</b>	<b>3.0%</b>
Ada LLM	33,710	32,718	992	33,789	32,751	1,038	2.9%	3.1%	3.2%	2.4%
Ardmore LLM	34,495	33,322	1,173	34,561	33,385	1,176	3.4%	3.4%	3.5%	2.7%
Durant LLM	44,200	42,763	1,437	44,267	42,830	1,437	3.3%	3.2%	3.4%	2.6%
Broken Bow-Idabel-Antlers-Hugo LLM	28,344	27,119	1,225	28,246	27,112	1,134	4.3%	4.0%	3.9%	3.8%
McAlester LLM	21,463	20,413	1,050	21,430	20,433	997	4.9%	4.7%	4.5%	4.0%
Poteau LLM	25,028	23,960	1,068	25,013	23,939	1,074	4.3%	4.3%	4.4%	3.2%
<b>Western WDA</b>	<b>206,191</b>	<b>200,605</b>	<b>5,586</b>	<b>206,779</b>	<b>201,029</b>	<b>5,750</b>	<b>2.7%</b>	<b>2.8%</b>	<b>3.0%</b>	<b>2.2%</b>
Enid LLM	50,171	48,758	1,413	50,208	48,790	1,418	2.8%	2.8%	3.0%	2.2%
Ponca City LLM	24,521	23,703	818	24,607	23,804	803	3.3%	3.3%	3.5%	2.8%
Stillwater LLM	41,297	40,216	1,081	41,823	40,654	1,169	2.6%	2.8%	3.0%	2.3%
Guymon LLM	16,732	16,415	317	16,800	16,462	338	1.9%	2.0%	2.2%	1.4%
Woodward LLM	21,157	20,674	483	21,137	20,611	526	2.3%	2.5%	2.7%	2.0%
Altus LLM	18,201	17,679	522	18,159	17,619	540	2.9%	3.0%	3.2%	2.5%
Elk City-Weatherford-Clinton LLM	34,112	33,160	952	34,045	33,089	956	2.8%	2.8%	3.0%	2.1%

WDA* Name	Local Labor Market (LLM) Name	County Name	WDA Name	LLM Name	County Name	WDA Name	LLM Name	County Name
Central	Oklahoma City	Canadian	Green Country	Okmulgee	Okmulgee	Western	Guymon	Beaver
Central	Oklahoma City	Logan	Green Country	Muskogee	McIntosh	Western	Guymon	Cimarron
Central	Oklahoma City	Oklahoma	Green Country	Muskogee	Muskogee	Western	Guymon	Texas
Central	Norman	Cleveland	Green Country	Muskogee	Wagoner	Western	Woodward	Dewey
Central	Shawnee	Seminole	Green Country	Tahlequah-Sallisaw	Adair	Western	Woodward	Ellis
Central	Shawnee	Pottawatomie	Green Country	Tahlequah-Sallisaw	Cherokee	Western	Woodward	Harper
Central	Shawnee	Lincoln	Green Country	Tahlequah-Sallisaw	Sequoyah	Western	Woodward	Woods
Central	Holdenville	Hughes	Green Country	Tulsa	Pawnee	Western	Woodward	Woodward
Central	Holdenville	Okfuskee	Green Country	Tulsa	Creek	Western	Enid	Alfalfa
Southern	Ada	Garvin	Green Country	Tulsa	Osage	Western	Enid	Blaine
Southern	Ada	Pontotoc	Green Country	Tulsa	Tulsa	Western	Enid	Grant
Southern	Ardmore	Carter	Northeast	Bartlesville	Nowata	Western	Enid	Kingfisher
Southern	Ardmore	Love	Northeast	Bartlesville	Washington	Western	Enid	Major
Southern	Ardmore	Murray	Northeast	Miami-Vinita	Craig	Western	Enid	Garfield
Southern	Durant	Atoka	Northeast	Miami-Vinita	Ottawa	Western	Ponca City	Kay
Southern	Durant	Bryan	Northeast	Claremore-Pryor	Delaware	Western	Ponca City	Noble
Southern	Durant	Coal	Northeast	Claremore-Pryor	Mayes	Western	Stillwater	Payne
Southern	Durant	Johnston	Northeast	Claremore-Pryor	Rogers	Western	Elk City- Weatherford -Clinton	Beckham
Southern	Durant	Marshall	South Central	Duncan	Jefferson	Western	Elk City- Weatherford -Clinton	Custer
Southern	McAlester	Latimer	South Central	Duncan	Stephens	Western	Elk City- Weatherford -Clinton	Roger Mills
Southern	McAlester	Pittsburg	South Central	Chickasha	Caddo	Western	Elk City- Weatherford -Clinton	Washita
Southern	Broken Bow-Idabel Antlers-Hugo	Choctaw	South Central	Chickasha	Grady	Western	Altus	Greer
Southern	Broken Bow-Idabel Antlers-Hugo	McCurtain	South Central	Chickasha	McClain	Western	Altus	Harmon
Southern	Broken Bow-Idabel Antlers-Hugo	Pushmataha	South Central	Lawton	Tillman	Western	Altus	Jackson
Southern	Poteau	Haskell	South Central	Lawton	Comanche	Western	Altus	Kiowa
Southern	Poteau	Le Flore	South Central	Lawton	Cotton	WDA* Workforce Development Area		

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